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Joint Knowledge Development and Distribution Capability (JKDDC) Update

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Who said to move JKDDC to JFCOM?

Background

1. Authority and Direction – Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Readiness (DUSD(R)) in a memorandum dated 2 August 2005 directed shift in OPR NLT 1 OCT 06
2. Planning – Formal JKDDC JMO Transition Plan of Action and Milestones agreed to by the JS / JWFC signatories in September 2005
3. Execution – LOA between Director, Joint Staff J7 and Deputy Commander, USJFCOM finalized shift in Office of Primary Responsibility (OPR). DUSD (R) execute order signed 7 Feb 06

Why was the move supposed to be a good idea?

Training Transformation (T2) Capabilities

JKDDC

(Preparing Forces Individually)

JFCOM Lead

1. **Provide continuous career-long development of *j*oint knowledge through learning, education, and training**
2. **Distribute knowledge to DoD personnel anytime, anywhere**

JNTC

(Preparing Forces Collectively)

JFCOM Lead

1. **Provide units and staffs an environment for realistic joint exercises against aggressive, free-playing opposing forces with credible feedback**
2. **Provide an integrated live, virtual, and constructive simulation environment, available 24/7, and link to real-world command and control systems**
3. **Focuses collective training in four key areas: Horizontal, Vertical, Integration and Functional**

JAEC

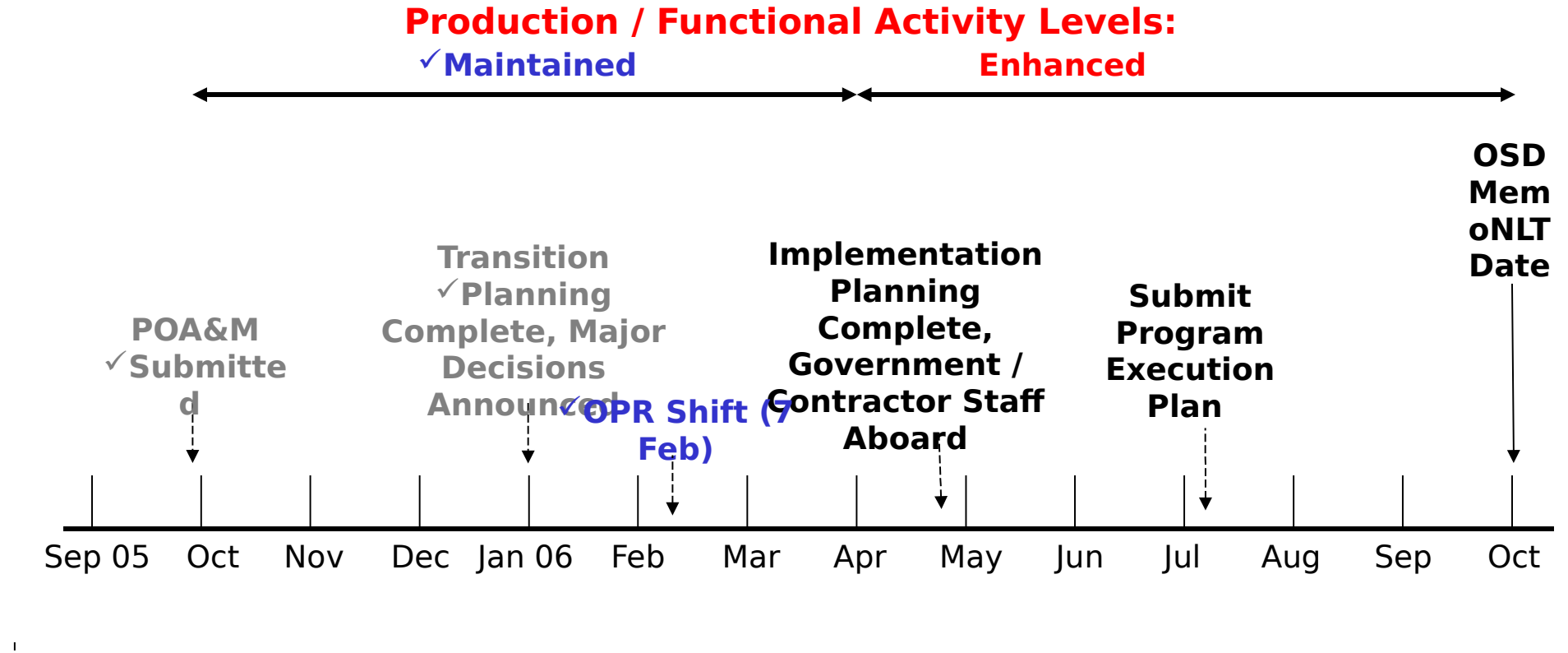
(Assessing and Enabling the Force)

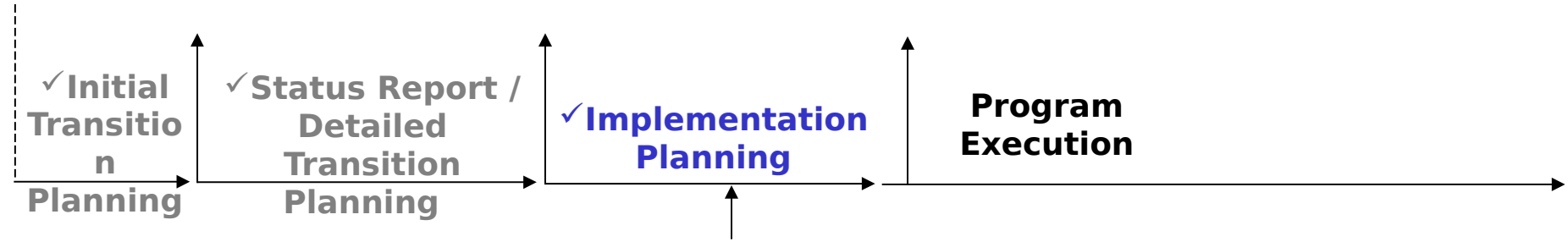
OSD and CJCS Lead

1. **Establish mechanisms to ensure Continuous improvement of force readiness and systematic assessment of plans, programs, and investments**
2. **Provide assessment and enabling tools to support and guide capabilities development**

What is the strategic level transition plan and timeline?

POA&M





Specific T2 I-Plan JKDDC focus areas: KM, KD, AC, Assessment

What was the operational level planning strategy and timeline?

Planning Strategy

- ✓ **Review all aspects of existing JKDDC program**
  - **Build on existing achievements**
  - **Enhance existing capability**
  - **Integrate and leverage with JNTC and other JFCOM programs**
  - ✓ **Action: JKDDC Formal Review Complete**

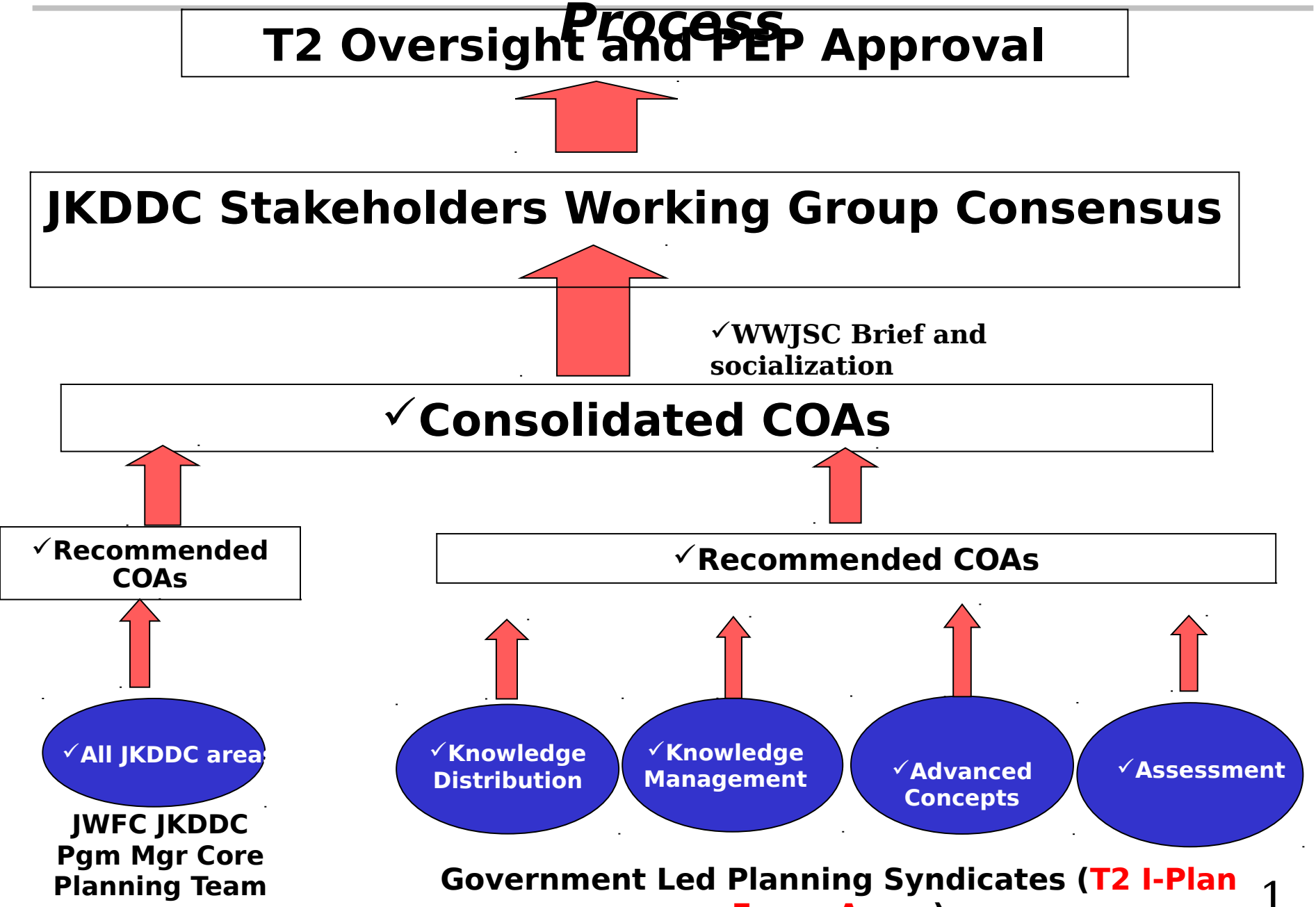
1. **Solicit Best Practices of Industry, government, academia, Defense Contractors …**
   - ✓ **Action: OSD ADL, JAEC, JS, COCOMs, JFCOM, Services, JNTC, ADL Co-Labs, DAU, Johns Hopkins University, CTC, SAIC, NG+, Cornerstone, IBM, BAH, Microsoft, Team Orlando, and others invited to planning teams to develop recommended COAs for way ahead**

- ✓ JKDDC Program Manager conduct JFCOM core planning effort

1. **Achieve consensus with JKDDC WG (COCOMs, Services, CSAs) for the way ahead**
   Action: Brief at WWJSC and then conduct JKDDC Stakeholder's Conference WG

2. **Submit FY07 Program Execution Plan (way ahead) for T2 approval process**
   Action: Target June-July submission

JKDDC Way ahead Planning Process



What are the results of the JAEC review and planning process?

Original JKDDC Vision and Mission

Vision

- Be the premier provider of relevant, timely, and globally accessible joint knowledge, preparing individuals to support Combatant Commanders and national security – anytime, anywhere.

Mission

- Prepare the Joint Warfighter by developing Combatant Commander sanctioned education and training content and by leveraging state-of-the-art distribution processes and advanced technologies.

JAEC Transition Review – Finding

"JKDDC Vision and Mission Remain generally sound, reflecting stakeholder and community needs, but … JKDDC program execution must <u>expand</u> to fully meet expectations"

Noted: *"Current JKDDC mission statement focuses primarily on* ***content development*****."**

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New Areas of Emphasis on JKDDC Vision and Intent (W5H)

WHO (DoD + TIM2 Players)

- COCOM Staff
- Joint Task Force (JTF) Staff
- Functional Component Staffs
  - JFACC, JFMCC, ETC
- Individual Augments (IAs)
- Joint Schools Students – KEYSTONE, PINNACLE, NDU, JFSC, etc.
- Individual Service members
- Interagency
- Intergovernmental
- Multinational
- Combat Support Agencies (CSAs)
- Guard/Reserve
- Other DoD Personnel

Categories

- (1) In Theater
- (2) On Deck
- (3) Support
- (4) Others with a need to know

Collaborators

Industry and Academia

WHAT

- Tiers of Training/ Educational/Information
  - General Joint Orientation
  - Joint Organizational
  - UJTL Based KSA's
  - Joint Job Specific
- *Conduit to Joint Professional Military Education (JPME)
  - Individual Joint Certifications (JSO,JICO, etc.)
- *Conduit to JS, COCOM, Service, CSAs
- Conduit to Multinational, Interagency, Intergovernmental
- Lessons Learned
- Real Time Critical Information assets from real time databases
- User knowledge/Experience Profile DB
- Synchronous Real time SME's
- Joint Interoperability

WHERE

- Anywhere (based on user profile and connectivity including en route and in theater)

WHEN

- Anytime (24/7)

HOW

- Internet / NIPRnet / SIPRnet with True Single Sign On * (based on profile, clearance, others)
- Functionality and capability through a portal *(CAC Card /PIN-Single Password Access)
- Leveraging related efforts (GIG, J-TEN, NGB, others)

WHY

- Prepare individuals for duty before they deploy, exercise, or attend collective training
- Support individuals during deployment, exercise or attending collective training
- Facilitate access to JPME needs (anytime, anywhere)
- Provide individuals with subject matter expertise as required to accomplish the daily mission
- Deliver knowledge assets to enhance KSA's…Performance
- Support the career long Joint Learning Continuum

What does the “new vision” look like to the warfighters and how does it help them?

"New" JKDDC Vision

To be the Premier provider of relevant, timely, and globally accessible joint knowledge, preparing and assisting individuals to support combatant commands and national security---anytime, anywhere

"JKDDC is "One Stop Shopping – Google" for Joint Knowledge"

Proposed JKDDC Knowledge and Learning Portal Concept

Real Time Critical Information/ Lessons Learned

Recommended Learning Activities (e.g. courseware)

General Joint Knowledge

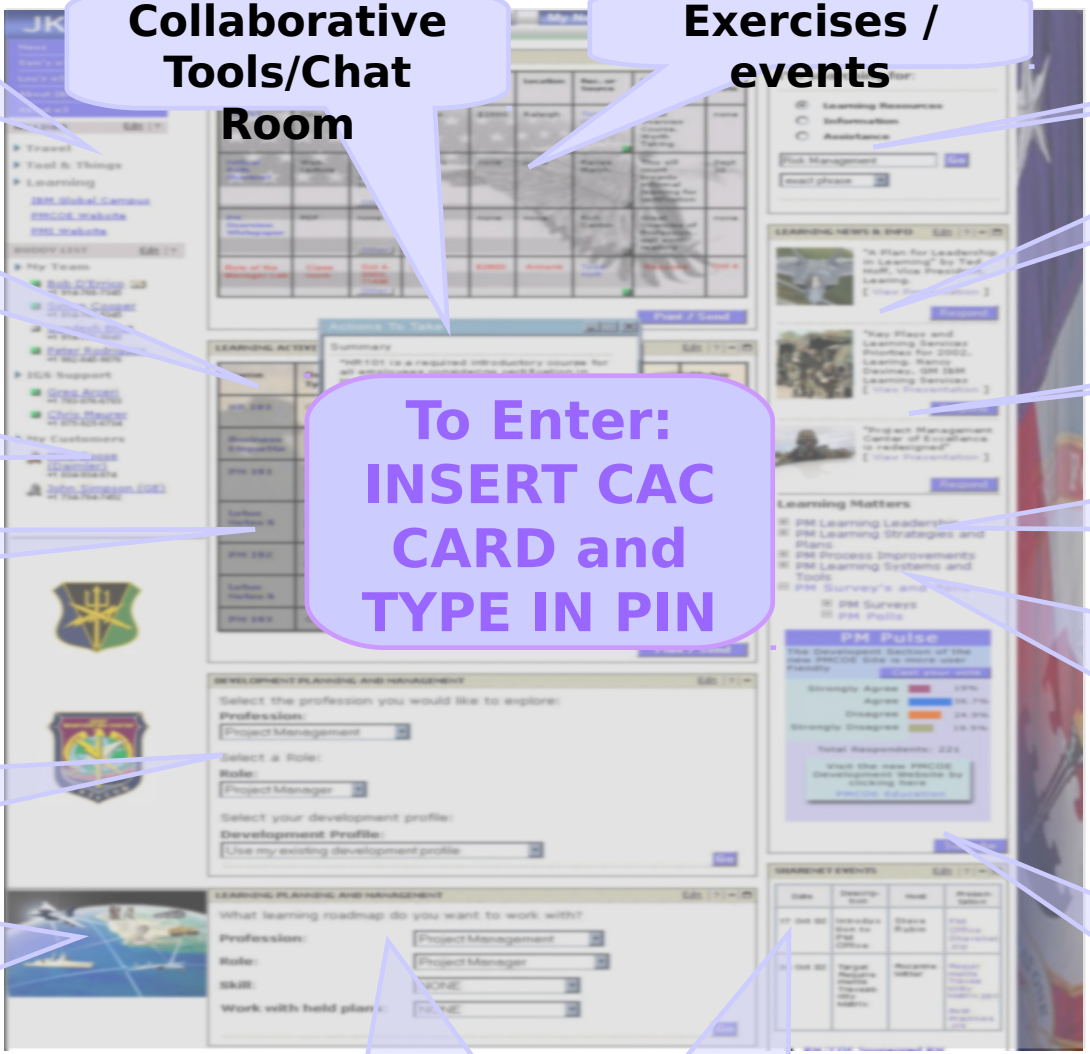
UJTL Based KSAs

Specific Joint Assignments

Conduit / Interface with Joint Staff COCOMs, Services, CSAs, and JS Assets

Collaborative Tools/Chat Room

Exercises / events



Search

Real-time SME Access

Gaming

Intelligent Tutors

Conduit to Interagency Intergovernmental Multinational

User Profile (Knowledge/ Experience)

Conduit to JPME

Small Group Training

What happened to all of the other stuff JKDDC was working on…like courses?

JKDDC FY06 Activities

1. JKDDC requirements now part of existing JFCOM Contract Statement of Work
   - JFCOM GO / FO / SES level decision…OSD concurrence…value added to the taxpayer
2. Existing capability maintained until end of April…then will move to JWFC J6 hosting
3. Courseware transition, planning and further development tasked to JFCOM contractors

Why should my organization be a player in JKDDC?

JKDDC Discussion Points

1. JKDDC needs COCOM, Service and CSA help…
   - Bring us your **prioritized requirements,** and *work with us* to help you fill those requirements
   - Tell us what knowledge asset / information / tool / stuff you may have, where it is, and how JKDDC can make it accessible to warfighters via the JKDDC portal
     - NOT to compete, but integrate and interface
   - Submit continuous inputs to shape the future of JKDDC
   - Be an active participant in implementing the JKDDC program

What is the WG process and structure to be used and WIFM if I play?

JKDDC Discussion Points

1. JKDDC will implement the T2 “Business model” in FY07
   - Follow successful concepts employed in JNTC… transparency, accountability and…. INCENTIVIZATION

Yep…there’s a cash pony somewhere in that FY 07 JKDDC pile

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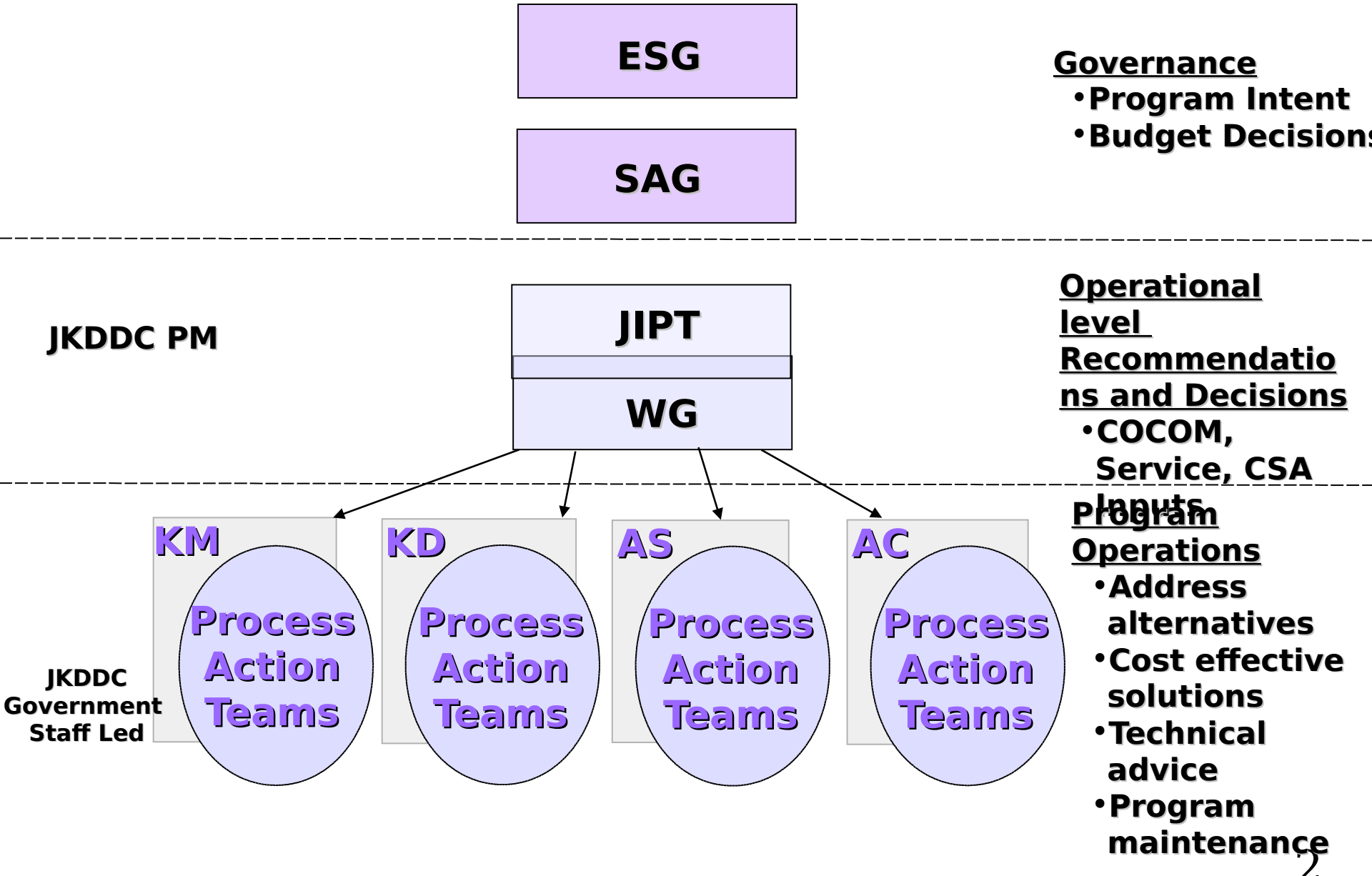
Proposed JKDDC Management Structure



Governance
- Program Intent
- Budget Decisions

Operational level Recommendations and Decisions
- COCOM, Service, CSA Inputs

Program Operations
- Address alternatives
- Cost effective solutions
- Technical advice
- Program maintenance

So what’s next…..when is the Stakeholders Conference / Working Group meeting and who’s paying?

JKDDC What's Next

1. JKDDC Stakeholders Conference and Working Group in April or May
   - Official JKDDC reps---O5 / O6 level participation
   - Review previous JKDDC processes
   - Ratify new vision and proposed new processes
   - Discuss "Major Muscle Movements"

JKDDC will reimburse travel and per diem as required…(easy does it)

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Questions?

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